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***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
PERFORMING FAST FIBRE CHANNEL WRITE  
OPERATIONS OVER RELATIVELY HIGH  
LATENCY NETWORKS

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Please consider the following amendments and remarks in response to the Final Office Action mailed July 16, 2007. This amendment is being submitted with an RCE.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.